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Sir:

In response to the communication from the Examiner dated February 25, 2003, a Final Rejection, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment After Final be entered and made of record. It is believed that the following amendments and remarks place the application in proper form for allowance, or at least, place the claims in a better form for Appeal. No new matter is presented, as such the Amendment is proper under 35 C.F.R. § 1.116. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration.

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